

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA**

**ABSTRACT**

LAW OFFICERS – STANDING COUNSEL -High Court – Interim arrangements to the post of Standing Counsel & Special Standing Counsels for Commercial Taxes/State Tax in the High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad - Ratification – Orders – Issued.

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LAW (F(LOs) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 439

Dated: 25-08-2021

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.187, Law, dated 06.12.2000.
2. G.O.Rt.No.82, Law, dated 06.08.2014.
3. G.O.Rt.No.916, Law, dated 29.12.2015.
4. G.O.Rt.No.655, Law, dated 07.11.2017.
5. G.O.Rt.No.566, Law, dated 07.11.2017.
6. G.O.Rt.No.618, Law, dated 29.12.2020.
7. G.O.Rt.No.326, Law, dated 06.07.2021.
8. G.O.Rt.No.369, Law, dated 27.07.2021.
9. From the Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad, Proceedings No. 637/2021, dated:07.07.2021.

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**ORDER**

The Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad, in his proceedings 9<sup>th</sup> read above has stated that, orders were issued vide G.Os 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> read above appointing three(3)Advocates as Special Counsels for commercial taxes (Telangana) in the High court for the state of Telangana, Hyderabad for a period of three years from the date of assumption of charge. Subsequently the Government in the reference 4<sup>th</sup> cited issued orders continuing them as incharge Special Standing Counsels with effect from the date of expiry of their term, as interim measure ,until further orders of the Government.

2. Further he has stated that the above three(3) law Officers have tendered resignation to their post on various dates and the Government have appointed Sri.K.Raji Reddy, Advocate as Special Standing Counsel for Commercial Taxes/State Tax issued in the G.O. 8<sup>th</sup> read above, it is further stated that there is requirement to appoint two more Special Standing Counsel for Commercial Taxes, inview of huge workload and also on account of the fact that the State is not able to realize the revenue due, in view of the blanket interim orders and their final adjudication. As such as an interim arrangement he has appointed Sri.L.Venkateswar Rao, Advocate as Special Standing Counsel for Commercial Taxes/State Tax in the High Court in terms of instruction 11 of the instructions issued in the G.O. first read above and request the Government to ratify the above appointment.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby, ratify the action of the Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad, in having placed Sri. L.Venkateswar Rao, Advocate as incharge to the post of Special Standing Counsel for Commercial Taxes/State Tax in the High Court for the State of Telangana, with effect from the date of assumption of charge of the post by the said Advocate, till a regular Special Standing Counsel is appointed and assumed charge of the post or until further orders of the Government, whichever earlier.

4. The Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad, is requested to furnish a panel of three (3) names of advocates for appointment of Special Standing Counsel to assist the Advocate General/Additional Advocate General in place of the said incharge Law Officer, duly considering the eligible advocates, as per the instructions in force, immediately.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**A.SANTHOSH REDDY,**

Secretary to Government,  
Legal Affairs, Legislative Affairs & Justice.

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To

The Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Registrar General, High Court for the State of Telangana.

The Pri. Secretary to Government, Revenue (CT) Department, T.S. Secretariat , Hyderabad.

The Administrator, Government Pleaders' Office, High Court Buildings, Hyd.

The Administrative Officer, Advocate General's Office, High Court Buildings, Hyderabad.

The Accountant General, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner for the Director of Information and Public Relations, Hyderabad.

The Accounts Officer, G.Ps. Office, H.C. Bldgs., Hyderabad.

Copy to : P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for EFS&T, Endowments and Law.

,, : P.S. to Secretary, Legal Affairs, Legislative Affairs & Justice.

'' : Sri Sri. L.Venkateswar Rao, Advocate, through the Advocate General for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

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//Forwarded:: By Order//

**SECTION OFFICER.**